

EXAMINING THE PROPERTIES OF AN OBJECT--.

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please amend the specification as follows:

Kindly enter the substitute specification attached herewith as Exhibit A. The substitute specification is not believed to contain new matter. A marked-up copy of the original specification, showing the changes implemented in the substitute specification, is attached as Exhibit B. A new Abstract of the Disclosure is also provided herewith as Exhibit C.

**IN THE DRAWINGS:**

Subject to the approval of the Examiner, please amend the drawings as set forth in the Request for Approval of Drawing Change filed concurrently herewith.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please amend claims 9-16, as follows:

9. An imaging process useful for examining the properties of an object, the imaging process comprising:

detecting a central area and first areas of the spatial frequency space, the first areas being a first distance from the central area;

detecting the central area and second areas of the spatial frequency space, the second areas being a second distance from the central area; and